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In re Patent Application of:

Gregg S. Goyins

Serial No.: 09/497,021

Filing Date: February 1, 2000

For: **High Performance Switchable
Polarizers for Optical Projection
Displays and Circuits for Driving the
Polarizers**

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AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner of
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Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This Amendment is in reply to the Office Action dated June 18, 2002. Please amend the application as follows.

CLAIMS

Please amend claim 17 as follows:

17. A switchable polarizing apparatus for optical projection displays, said apparatus comprising:

a first electrode for receiving a first driving signal, and a second electrode for receiving a second driving signal, wherein the first and second driving signals are different;

a layer of liquid crystal material positioned between the first and second electrodes;

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